

cirrhosis of the liver, jaundice, alcoholism, obesity, and coronary disease; and as an adjunct therapy in diabetes, whereas the article was not adequate and effective for such purposes.

DISPOSITION: 3-8-62. Consent—claimed by Merit Pharmaceutical Co., Inc., and released under bond for relabeling.

6813. Valer-Relax capsules. (F.D.C. No. 46093. S. No. 59-875 R.)

QUANTITY: 36 btls. at Seattle, Wash.

SHIPPED: 5-19-61, from Long Beach, Calif., by Professional Products Co.

LABEL IN PART: (Btl.) "50 Capsules * * * Valer-Relax A Mild Non-Habit Forming Non Toxic All Natural Relaxant For Relief of Simple States of Tension Sleeplessness Professional Products Co. Long Beach, Calif. * * * Directions * * * This is an herb food supplement and contains: Valerian Root, 390 Mg., Peruvian Bark, 9 Mg., Barberry Bark, 9 Mg., Scullcap, 9 Mg., Vervian Root, 9 Mg., Raspberry Leaves, 9 Mg., Cola Nuts, 9 Mg., Hop Leaves, 9 Mg., Liverwort Root, 9 Mg., Orange Flowers, 9 Mg. 4265 [or "4266"]."

ACCOMPANYING LABELING: Leaflets, in three different forms, all entitled "Relax With Valer-Relax"; some imprinted "Professional Products Co." and some rubber stamped "Dr. McCormick's Natural Foods Co."

LIBELED: 7-24-61, W. Dist. Wash.

CHARGE: 502(a)—when shipped, the name "Valer-Relax" falsely and misleadingly represented and suggested that the article was capable of relaxing the user; and the labeling of the article also contained false and misleading representations and suggestions that the article was an adequate and effective treatment for nervous tension, sleeplessness, tired feeling, and a host of disorders due to nervous tension; that it would control emotions, prevent heart disease and hardening of the arteries, and gas pains around the heart; that it was a natural relaxant; and that it would allay hunger pangs and thereby result in weight reduction; and the leaflet "The All Natural Herb Tranquillizer" contained false and misleading representations and suggestions that the article would accomplish the same results as the true tranquilizing drugs.

DISPOSITION: 2-12-62. Default—destruction.

6814. Nutri-Kings tablets. (F.D.C. No. 45269. S. No. 43-241 R.)

QUANTITY: 3 360-tablet btls. and 2 540-tablet btls. at Berkeley, Calif.

SHIPPED: On an unknown date, from New York, N.Y., by Universal Nutritions, Inc.

LABEL IN PART: (Btl.) "Universal Nutritions * * * Nutri-Kings Food Supplement These vitamins and minerals supplied in part from a special base of: Alfalfa Leaves, Pacific Coast Kelp, Parsley, Zein, Soy Bean and Watercress. To insure proper potencies additional vitamins and minerals were added. * * * Universal Nutritions, Inc., Dist. New York 13, N.Y."

ACCOMPANYING LABELING: Leaflets entitled "Universal Nutrition * * * Fall, 1960."

LIBELED: 12-9-60, N. Dist. Calif.

CHARGE: 502(a)—when shipped and while held for sale, the accompanying labeling contained false and misleading representations that the article was adequate and effective to "Feel your Best" and "Look your Best"; bolster health and increase energy; stimulate alertness; for relief from deficiency conditions and symptoms that might sap strength and resistance; for growth,